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SMPIA board members listen as association president Ron Goetz makes a statement Thursday. SMPIA called for the removal of Culture Minister Bill Hutchinson from his post. CARRIE-MAY SIGGINS/METRO

# SMPIA calls for Hutchinson's head

**Association.** President says new tax-credit plan will kill the film industry in province

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To the rapturous applause of a studio filled with members of the media industry Thursday, the Saskatchewan Media Production Industry Association (SMPIA) called for the removal of Bill Hutchinson, the minister of tourism, parks, culture and sport.

"We ask that he be replaced with a new minister that understands our industry, and who wants to work with us to save us," said Ron Goetz, SMPIA president.

Hours later, in a pre-scheduled interview with Global Television, Premier Brad Wall made his position on the matter clear.

"It's not going to happen," said Wall.

On May 4, Hutchinson announced a new tax-credit plan for the media industry. It offers a 25 per cent non-refundable tax credit on all production expenses, meaning the government would refund taxes already paid on income spent by a production company.

Goetz said the "poorly conceived" plan "was not endorsed by the industry, had not been properly researched and had a significant flaw that makes it unworkable."

Wall said that the non-refundable tax credit would reward Saskatchewan-based companies. But industry members disagree.

Critics contend that the non-refundable tax credit is ill-suited to the film industry because a company must earn a certain amount before the credit would become viable. And many production companies in the province are small- to medium-sized.

"On a production that spends $5 million in Saskatchewan," said Goetz, "a company would have to earn almost $11 million in taxable income in order to get an advantage with that tax credit. These numbers are simply not achievable for our industry."

When asked what will happen if the government doesn't change its plan, Goetz said that it would be the end of the industry.

"Gradually the industry will dwindle.... It's happened everywhere else where the tax credit has been cut. There's no mystery to that. You lose your industry."

**In defence**

**"We've said, let's create a tax credit were there's an incentive for Saskatchewan companies. In other words, a tax credit that comes off of taxes paid in Saskatchewan by those companies. We think that makes good sense."** Premier Brad Wall

**In support**

- A rally will take place to support the film-production industry in the province on Monday from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. in front of Canada Saskatchewan Production Studios, 1831 College Ave.

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## Bombers and Riders in race for big bucks

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## Improving Wascana — have your say

The Wascana Centre Authority wants us to tell them how to improve Wascana Park. Citizens are invited to provide ideas on how the landmark 930-hectare park should look and feel for future generations.

The consultation is part of the centre's 50-year anniversary and it has enlisted the help of Intelligent Futures to co-ordinate the project. To get involved, visit ourwascana.ca or keep an eye out for the "Our Wascana" booths being placed around the city.

"Having as many citizens as possible involved in the Our Wascana process will be key to its success," says Jon Lewis, president of Intelligent Futures, in a statement. JEFF MACKEY/METRO

Near Hudson Bay

## Toddler on ATV survives flip

A toddler is being treated in hospital after the ATV he was strapped to flipped upside down in a slough in east-central Saskatchewan, trapping him underwater.

RCMP Cpl. Rod King says the three-year-old boy was in a car seat that his father had attached to the back of the ATV.

The child's medical condition and the extent of his injuries weren't released.

King says the father was driving Wednesday near Hudson Bay when his machine rolled into the slough.

King says it is too soon to say if the child's father will face any charges. THE CANADIAN PRESS

## Walking for life

Students from Regina Christian School have some fun at the Saskatchewan March for Life Thursday. The pro-life rally drew about 250 people to the legislative building on a rainy afternoon. The rally and subsequent march was in solidarity with the Ottawa March for Life that drew as many as 19,500 people to the nation's capital. The 100 Regina Christian school students were there to show support. "I think the pro-life movement is going to need to be supported and energized by the youth in this province," said Rod Rilling, principal at Regina Christian School. JEFF MACKEY/METRO

# Saskatchewan farms thriving: StatsCan

**Agricultural snapshot.** Province is tops in farm growth, profit

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Statistics Canada released its 2011 census agricultural report Thursday, creating a snapshot of the agricultural sector in Canada. It shows that big farms are getting bigger, and more profitable.

As in many StatsCan reports released recently, Saskatchewan stood out once again. Where as the rest of the country saw an average increase in farm size of 6.9 per cent, from 728 to 778 acres, Saskatchewan's average farm grew 15.1 per cent to 1,668 acres.

These larger farms are the ones that saw the biggest increase in growth. In 2010, farms, and for the most part larger farms, saw receipts amount to $51.1 billion, up almost four per cent from 2005.

In 2011, Canada had 9,602 farms that reported $1 million or more in gross farm receipts. These farms accounted for 4.7 per cent of all farms and 49.1 per cent of all receipts.

Although there has been an increase in farm size across the country, the overall number of farms has continued a 71-year downward trend. There are 205,730 census farms in Canada, a decline of 10.3 per cent from 2006. The number of farm operators, defined as those who make management decisions on the farm, declined as well by 10.1 per cent. Nova Scotia is the only province that saw an increase in individual farms, at 2.9 per cent.

The report also shows that farm operators are getting older. For the first time since Canada started keeping records, operators in the 55-and-over age group represented the largest share of total operators.

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**By the numbers**

- The number of certified organic operations increased 4.4 per cent from 2006 to 3,713. They represented 1.8 per cent of all farms in Canada, compared with 1.5 per cent in 2006 and 0.9 per cent in 2001.
- In 2006, oilseed and grain farms accounted for 26.9 per cent of all farms and beef farms accounted for 26.6 per cent. By 2011, the share of oilseed and grain farms had increased to 30 per cent, while the share of beef farms had declined to 18.2 per cent.

## Rural roads. Sask. spends $23.5M on improvements

The Saskatchewan government is using some cold, hard cash to take some of the bumps out of rural roads.

The province has announced $23.5 million to improve roads, bridges and culverts in 51 rural municipalities.

Much of the money will go toward ensuring roads can handle increasing truck traffic.

The province estimates the money will help repair 165 kilometres of roads.

David Marit of the Saskatchewan Association of Rural Municipalities says the funding matches what the province spent last year. THE CANADIAN PRESS

## Unconstitutional? Regina man takes sniffer-dog drug case to top court

The Supreme Court of Canada will hear the case of a Regina man who was charged after a police sniffer dog detected marijuana in the trunk of his car in 2006.

Benjamin Cain MacKenzie was acquitted of possession for the purpose of trafficking when the trial judge ruled the search was unconstitutional because the RCMP didn't have reasonable grounds to bring out the dog to check the closed trunk.

The police testified MacKenzie was sweaty and nervous after they stopped him for speeding.

The Saskatchewan Court of Appeal overturned the judge's ruling in May 2011 and ordered a new trial.

MacKenzie then sought leave to take his case to the Supreme Court.

His appeal will be heard in conjunction with another drug-sniffing dog case from Halifax. THE CANADIAN PRESS

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### Modern-day Crusoe

Modern-day homestead or survival game? An Anchorage, Alaska, oil employee/filmmaker is heading to a nearly deserted island for one year with nothing but his dog as a sidekick. Watch at metronews.ca

### The ultimate power suit

The future is now, according to Japanese robot enthusiasts who have created a 13-foot-tall robotic power suit that can accommodate a human pilot. The robot is remarkably similar to ones seen in Iron Man, Avatar and Aliens. Watch at metronews.ca

Mobile news

The jury's out on whether it's breastfeeding at its best or parenting at its worst. Either way, it's an image that has tongues wagging. A controversial Time magazine cover photo is going viral, and people across the globe, Canadians included, are voicing their opinions. Scan the code for the story.

Child care

## 500 new spaces made available

Saskatchewan is announcing where it will spend cash to create 500 new child-care spaces in 15 communities across the province.

The government has earmarked $6 million for the program, which aims to provide more quality child care for families.

The communities that will benefit include Regina, Carlyle, Dalmeny, Grenfell, Moose Jaw, Oxbow, Prince Albert, Tisdale, Saskatoon, Shellbrook, Stony Rapids, Swift Current, Qu'Appelle, Watson and Yorkton.

Funding for the day-care spaces was included in the government's spring budget.

Education Minister Donna Harpauer says since the Saskatchewan Party formed government, the number of child-care spaces has increased by 42 per cent.

She says the total number of licensed child-care spaces in the province is now 13,240.

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# Riders admit Bombers may win financial game

**Bragging rights.** CFL club could soon be the league's new financial leader

DAVE BAXTER
For Metro in Winnipeg

The Saskatchewan Roughriders may be the most financially successful team in the CFL — for now — but the Winnipeg Blue Bombers are hot on their tails.

The Bombers announced the Winnipeg Blue Bombers Scratch Lottery on Wednesday — the first scratch lottery in CFL history, and just one of a number of initiatives the front office has come up with in an effort to drive revenue.

CEO Garth Buchko said initiatives like this, along with the stadium, are there to make the Bombers the most financially successful club in the CFL.

"That's our goal," said Buchko. "We have a number of different revenue initiatives that will be rolled out shortly. We need to generate multiple revenue streams and this is just one of them."

The Roughriders VP of sales, Steve Mazurak, said "the Bombers are taking the bull by the horns, but we are happy for them.

"They will be the envy of community-owned teams."

Mazurak said the Riders' stadium situation is holding them back from being a first-class team.

"Our stadium is the only thing holding us back. Winnipeg could definitely surpass us."

Buchko said that if the 750,000 lottery tickets that are being produced sell out, it will be a financial windfall for the club.

"It will be in the hundreds and hundreds of thousands of dollars if we sell out the lottery."

Quotable

**"Our stadium is the only thing holding us back. Winnipeg could definitely surpass us."**

Steve Mazurak, Roughriders VP of Sales

The tickets for the new lottery will be $5, and the Bombers hope that lottery players choose to support the club when they buy their scratch tickets.

"It's a way that Bomber fans can vote with their money and just support the football club."

The lottery will feature two grand prizes of $100,000 and will also feature an online component where contestants can win "fan experiences."

These include things like dinner with players and the chance to sit in on a Bomber team meeting.

Bombers CEO Garth Buchko holds an oversized lottery scratch ticket. Buchko believes selling the 750,000 tickets is just one way the team can become the most financially successful club in the CFL. DAVE BAXTER/FOR METRO

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# Hunters, anglers have lots to say about regulations

Hundreds of people lined up to be the first to shop at Cabela's in Saskatoon on Thursday. The American outdoor outfitter is expected to attract hunters and anglers from across the province. JANE CAULFIELD/METRO IN SASKATOON

The Saskatchewan government has received such an overwhelming response to a survey that targets hunters and anglers across the province that it has extended the close date from May 9 to May 23.

"We've had hundreds and hundreds of responses. People have filled out the survey and we've had phone calls — all with ideas and suggestions about how things might be improved," Minister of Enterprise Jeremy Harrison said in an interview.

Last year, the government issued a total of 204,686 hunting licences and 173,808 fishing licences.

"When you think about it, this is an issue that impacts a tremendous amount of people in our province," said Harrison. "We want to hear from those people."

Enterprise Saskatchewan reports that it has had nearly 1,800 responses so far, and it is expecting just as many more before it closes the online survey.

Many of the survey's responders were at the grand opening of Saskatoon's Cabela's on Preston Avenue near Circle Drive.

"You have to have a credit card and a computer. I don't have either. Getting into the Big Game Draw is hard for me to do. They make it hard," said lifelong hunter John Rutherford, while standing in line at the grand opening.

The only way to get your name entered into the Big Game Draw is by submitting an online application.

And as Rutherford argues, not every hunter or angler in Saskatchewan has access to the Internet.

Survey feedback will be forwarded to the Ministry of Environment for analysis and then passed to the government's Red Tape Reduction Committee for consideration.

The Red Tape Reduction Committee is comprised of members of the legislative assembly. It is tasked reviewing all government regulations that have an impact on businesses and ensuring that they are as efficient as possible.

JANE CAULFIELD/METRO IN SASKATOON

## Hockey. MacLean takes flack for 9-11 comment

For once, Don Cherry isn't in the hot seat over what he said on Hockey Night In Canada.

Instead it's his longtime on-air companion Ron MacLean, who sparked controversy when he compared players to 9-11 first responders prior to Wednesday's playoff game between New York and Washington.

At the start of the broadcast, MacLean notes that the two cities were united by the tragedy of the Sept. 11, 2001, terrorist attacks.

He says it is "crazy to compare what the emergency responders did during that time, but a spirit has to start somewhere."

He then goes on to say you "can't help but be struck by the players and the way they've played these games.

"They are like police officers, they are like firefighters. You can't fight fire with ego. The pain these men have faced, the price they keep on paying, the hearts they keep on lifting."

MacLean and the CBC issued a statement Thursday to "clarify" the comments, which were rebuked by columnists on both sides of the border and scorned on Twitter.

But his statement failed to soothe some on the social-networking website, who noted he opted to explain rather than back down from the comparison.

Ron MacLean THE CANADIAN PRESS

"Ron Maclean decides to defend instead of back off his ... ridiculous hyperbole. A stupid, disrespectful comparison but not malicious," tweeted Jason Pachkowski of Regina.

While he didn't retract the comments in the statement, he did elaborate on his thought process. THE CANADIAN PRESS

# Judge deemed crucial evidence inadmissible in Michael Rafferty trial

**London, Ont.** Jury sequestered in the trial of 8-year-old Tori Stafford's alleged murderer as laptop evidence comes to light

*Warning: Graphic details from this court case may disturb some readers.*

A laptop computer belonging to the man accused of kidnapping, sexually assaulting and killing Victoria Stafford was used to search online for "real underage rape" and "nude preteen" not long before the eight-year-old was abducted, court documents indicate.

But the jury in Michael Rafferty's trial — now sequestered and deciding his fate — doesn't know it, along with a number of other facts that the court deemed inadmissible.

The Crown contends Rafferty also downloaded "substantial" amounts of child pornography, and there was evidence of snuff films — movies depicting real killings — on his laptop. A woman he met online alleged that he drugged, choked and raped her. A litany of past dates reported he had a penchant for sexual choking. Some even complained of his "disconcerting" behaviour toward their children.

The jury doesn't know that, either.

Superior Court Judge Thomas Heeney refused to allow evidence found on Rafferty's laptop and BlackBerry — the searches, the evidence of child porn and a downloaded movie about Karla Homolka — because the search violated Rafferty's charter rights.

When police legally searched Rafferty's car and found the two devices, they should have obtained another search warrant to examine their contents, Heeney ruled — even though at the time there was no binding authority upon them to do so.

Defence lawyers Dirk Derstein and Laura Giordano speak to the media outside the court at a break in proceedings. DAVE CHIDLEY/THE CANADIAN PRESS

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For continuing coverage of the Michael Rafferty trial, go to metronews.ca.

# 'Critical equipment shortfalls' for Canadian military in Arctic: Docs

Six years after the Harper government declared the Arctic to be a new-operations area for the Canadian military, the army has struggled to find enough parkas, cold-weather tents, lanterns and heaters to equip forces that take part in its annual summer exercise.

The "critical equipment shortfalls" were so bad last year, the head of the army approved a request by area commanders to buy missing gear themselves, say internal briefing documents.

The briefings also show the army worried about running out of parkas, and turned to the air force for help.

The army is "required to affirm national sovereignty and conduct patrolling and surveillance operations," said a May 26, 2011, briefing note for Lt.-Gen. Peter Delving, the country's top soldier.

The document was obtained by The Canadian Press under the federal access-to-information law.

The request to buy gear came from Land Forces Atlantic region units taking part in the annual Arctic exercise Operation Amok, which the Conservative government has used as a showcase for its Northern ambitions.

Prime Minister Stephen Harper bundles up in a parka as he tours Frobisher Bay in Iqaluit, Nunavut on Thursday. SEAN KILPATRICK/THE CANADIAN PRESS

"Although the (land force areas) have received some equipment critical to achieving (initial operating capability), their equipment lists are inadequate or incomplete, and some immediate purchases are required in order to ensure mobility, survivability and credibility within the context of Op Amok 11."

Specifically, the units needed tents, trailers for all-terrain vehicles, cooking stoves, storage containers, lanterns and heaters for multi-day patrols that take soldiers deep into the barren wilderness.

The briefing warned that without the trailers for equipment, patrol ranges would be limited. It noted the shortages were nothing new in the annual marquee exercise, which has seen government officials drop in for high-profile photo-ops.

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# Survey. Women control family purse strings

Men still make the most money in the average household, but it's women who control the purse strings.

While that's been acknowledged informally for some time in Canada, a new survey by the Bank of Montreal suggests there is no reason to doubt the truism.

In a report tied to Mother's Day, the bank says a recent survey of about 1,500 people shows that in 82 per cent of Canadian households, women are either the primary decision-maker or have equal responsibility for financial decisions.

"We can still say women earn less than men over their entire career ... but they do make around 80 per cent of the decisions around spending," said Tina Di Vito, head of BMO's retirement division.

"Even on things like the family car, women are very involved in selecting a car that is appropriate for their needs."

The BMO report, done in conjunction with Boston Consulting Group, shows women are also gaining financial power by virtue of their earnings and now control about one-third of all wealth in North America.

Still, the study released Thursday suggests women remain on average less confident than men about finances.

Men are more likely than women to have investments and a financial plan by a factor 62 per cent versus 52 per cent, the bank said. They also tend to be less prepared for retirement due to a variety of factors, including lower earnings, intermittent work histories and longer life spans.

Di Vito said the gap is closing in many areas where women are lagging.

"There is still a gap, but it's getting less and less. Even in the area of retirement, baby-boomer women are the first generation of women retirees that actually control their own personal wealth," she said.

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**Technology**

## Samsung unwraps ultra-thin OLED TV

Samsung Electronics Co. said Thursday that it is aiming to launch flat-panel TVs using new screen technology called OLED during the second half of this year in the domestic market.

Samsung said the 55-inch TV using the ultra-thin display will sell for over 10 million won, or more than $9,000 us. That is at least more than twice as expensive as the high-end 55-inch TVs available in the market.

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**Market Minute**

**DOLLAR** 99.83¢ (-0.08¢)

**TSX** 11,736.17 (+61.16)

**OIL** $97.08 US (+27¢)

**GOLD** $1,595.50 US (+$1.30)

**Natural gas:** $2.487 (+2.2¢)
**Dow Jones:** 12,855.04 (+19.98)

# Obama decided to back gay marriage before VP's remark

**U.S.** Biden says sorry to Obama for comments that led president to speed up his public acknowledgement of his support for same-sex unions: Source

U.S. President Barack Obama says he'd already decided to come out for gay marriage before Vice-President Joe Biden publicly endorsed it.

Obama tells ABC in an interview that he wasn't worried about being upstaged by Biden on the volatile social issue.

However, at one point, Obama says, "Would I have preferred to have done this in my own way, in my own terms without, I think, there being a lot of notice to everybody? Sure."

But Obama quickly adds, "All's well that ends well."

U.S. President Barack Obama
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He tells ABC's Robin Roberts that he "already made a decision to take this position" before Biden made his comments Sunday in response to a question in a nationally broadcast interview.

Education Secretary Arne Duncan endorsed gay marriage on Monday.

Obama says in Wednesday's interview — shown Thursday morning — he didn't revise his position as part of a re-election campaign ploy.

"It would be hard to argue that somehow this is something that I'd be doing for political advantage because, frankly, the politics, it's not clear how they're going to cut."

Several countries, mostly in Europe but also Canada, Argentina and South Africa, already allow gay marriage.

Gay-rights activists around the world hailed Obama's support for same-sex marriage as a symbolic victory.

There were very few signs that Obama's announcement Wednesday would drive change abroad.

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## Undulating blob is a type of jellyfish: Expert

Captured by a deep-sea camera, this shot of a large blob has spawned a week of what-the-heck-is-that Internet speculation. Guesses have run from a plastic bag, to a floating whale placenta — to a jellyfish. Writing on his Facebook page, Dr. Steven Haddock of JellyWatch.org identifies the creature as Deepstaria enigmatica, a jellyfish. It's not that rare, but this one is large and it's rarely seen intact. YOUTUBE.COM

**PM leaves door open**

## Gay marriage in New Zealand?

New Zealand PM John Key has broken a silence on gay marriage and left the door open for making it legal. The opposition leader also expressed support. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

**Shocking incident**

## Romney forcibly cut bangs of schoolmate

U.S. Republican presidential front-runner Mitt Romney admitted on Thursday he "did some dumb things" in high school. He issued a tepid apology over revelations he bullied and physically accosted a classmate who was presumed gay.

His remarks came in the wake of a Washington Post story that quotes several former Romney schoolmates as they recall the presidential wannabe holding down a classmate and forcibly cutting his blond bangs. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

# DICTATOR GOING TO BE A RIOT

THE LIST
Neil Morton
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**1** **Steve (GM) Nash:** Canada's men's national basketball team is in great hands after the announcement that two-time NBA MVP Steve Nash has been named general manager. What would make things even sweeter is if the Victoria native, who is a free agent this off-season, signs with the Toronto Raptors. Captain Canada, Captain Toronto.

**2** **Walk a mile in her shoes:** This international men's march to stop rape, sexual assault and gender violence gives men, women and families the opportunity to raise awareness in their communities about the impact of sexualized violence by walking in women's high-heeled shoes.
Join a walk in your community or start your own by visiting walkamileinhershoes.org.

**3** **The Dictator:** Admiral General Shabazz Aladeen is a dictator from the Republic of Wadiya and appeared on the Today Show with Matt Lauer this week with a handful of guards, and made some threatening remarks. Luckily, Aladeen is actually actor Sacha Baron Cohen, who was promoting his new comedy The Dictator, which opens May 16. Go see it. It will be a riot.

**4** **Emily is back:** Emily Maynard, whose romance with former bachelor Brad Womack did not work out after he proposed to her, is the new Bachelorette. It premieres May 14, and suitors include a data-destruction specialist — fitting for the show, perhaps, with its high percentage of failed romances. Heck, even its host Chris Harrison recently announced he's splitting from his wife.

**5** **Mark Zuckerberg's b-day:** Billionaire boy Mark Zuckerberg, the founder of Facebook — one of the most powerful brands on the planet (and soon-to-go IPO) — turns the ripe old age of 28 this Sunday. Before he hits 30, I predict Zuckerberg will create a transporter that will beam us up to other planets. We can share those planetary pics on Facebook.

**6** **Desperate Housewives finale:** The now iconic Wisteria Lane will be no more after this Sunday when Desperate Housewives bids adieu to fans in a two-hour finale. Many former cast members will be returning for this tear-fest. The only consolation is knowing that there are still so many real-life desperate housewives we can continue to gossip about.

**7** **Klout:** Klout.com, a social app that measures your social-media reach, is all the talk right now with the cool kids. If you have a high "klout" score (the highest you can get is 100 — only Justin Bieber has that), the more influential you are online. I have no idea what my score is, but please follow me @neilmorton, tweet at me, and re-tweet my tweets and I won't be as scared to look.

**8** **Chris Rumble:** This leukemia patient/young filmmaker/hero at Seattle Children's Hospital created an amazing video, Stronger: Seattle Children's Hospital, starring (and empowering) fellow cancer patients who are going through painful chemotherapy. Performed to Kelly Clarkson's song Stronger, the video has gone viral on YouTube this week. Brilliant.

**9** **Copenhagen Philharmonic ... in the subway:** The Copenhagen Philharmonic Orchestra did a terrific flash mob in the Copenhagen Metro subway, and the video already has nearly a million views this week. With flash mobs becoming ubiquitous, I'm thinking of starting a 24-7 flash mob that never stops flash-mobbing in a grand social experiment. Watch out.

# Prince weatherman

ANDREW MILLIGAN/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

It's reigning

## Britons get a surprise on BBC

If this king thing doesn't work out, Prince Charles may be able to fall back on a budding career as a weatherman.

The heir to the British throne and his wife, Camilla, gave it a try Thursday, each reading out weather reports during a visit to BBC studios in Glasgow.

The sight of the nattily dressed Charles giving a credible performance in the unfamiliar role caused many Britons to do a double-take as he read the lunchtime news weather spot.

The prince delivered a nearly perfect performance.

Palace officials say Charles and Camilla were visiting the studios to mark the 60-year anniversary of BBC TV Scotland. The visit was also part of the pair's annual Holyrood week.

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Camilla, the Duchess of Cornwall, reads the weather on the BBC.
ANDREW MILLIGAN/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Just kidding

**"There's potential for a few flurries over Balmoral. Who the hell wrote this script?"**

The heir to the throne ad-libbed while reading the afternoon weather report.

British actor Sacha Baron Cohen arrives for the world premiere of The Dictator on Thursday in London. JONATHAN SHORT/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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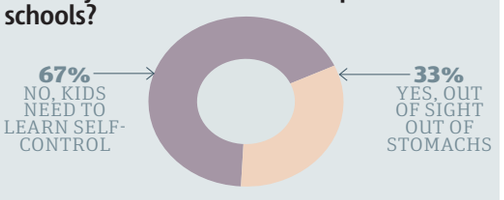
## Should junk food be banned in public schools?

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# GETTING IN THE GAME

## CANADIAN TIRE JUMPSTART CHARITIES HAS HELPED MORE THAN 400,000 KIDS PARTICIPATE IN SPORTS

Jonathan Hood spends a lot of time telling young people about his own athletic journey. For the Hamilton Tiger-Cats defensive back, sharing the lessons he has learned with others is an important part of the job. "Sports can teach you how to win and lose gracefully and how to get along with other people," he says. "It can also teach you about teamwork, group dynamics and life skills."

When Hood isn't honing his own impressive football skills, he works as a public speaker, mentor and coach. He runs a camp in the off-season that teaches young players the fundamentals of football. He's involved with the GTA Youth Athletics Club and has spearheaded MPower, an organization that provides leadership skills and mentoring for at-risk youth. Plus, he speaks to high school students every chance he gets.

These days Hood is spreading his message about sport in another way, through his involvement with Canadian Tire Jumpstart Charities. He's one of a number of elite Canadian athletes who have lent their names and images to a 12-month calendar that will raise funds for Canadian Tire Jumpstart's many sport and recreational programs.

The list of participants in the calendar is impressive. Four-time world figure-skating champion Kurt Browning, champion high jumper Nicole Forrester, Chicago Black Hawks star Jonathan Toews and hockey gold medallist Sami Jo Small were all chosen because of their continuing support for Canadian Tire Jumpstart.

Since 2005, Canadian Tire Jumpstart has helped more than 400,000 children participate in sports and recreation programs. But with one-third of Canadian families unable to enrol their children in sports programs because of cost, many kids are still missing out on the health benefits, self-esteem and camaraderie that participating in sports can offer.

Add to that the fact that budget cuts across the country mean less physical education and extracurricular activity in school. What's more, childhood obesity is dramatically on the rise, along with a general perception that neighbourhoods aren't safe places to play anymore.

Hood believes it's up to everyone in a community to do their part to support youth sports and activities. "You have to look at yourself," he says. "If you were coached and mentored when you were a kid, you are better off for it. Programs like Canadian Tire Jumpstart are opportunities to let young people achieve their dreams. We should all support that."

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## JUMPSTART DAY IN MAY

On May 26, most Canadian Tire stores in Canada will host fun activities and draws to help raise money for their local community. Examples of this year's Jumpstart Day events include car washes, barbecues, draws and raffles.

Throughout May, Canadian Tire Jumpstart Charities is asking Canadians to donate $2 for its popular red ball in one of two new designs (a basketball and a baseball) to support Jumpstart Day. The One Million Red Ball (OneMillionRedBalls.ca) campaign kicked off on May 4. Customers can pick up a ball at Canadian Tire stores and Gas+ locations, Mark's and Pita Pit locations.

"We're challenging Canadians to raise $1 million through the sale of the balls," says Canadian Tire Jumpstart Charities president Dan Thompson.

# give kids a sporting chance

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Every child in Canada has the right to participate in sports and recreation activities, but many families can't afford the fees. Since Canadian Tire Jumpstart Charities was established in 2005, it has helped more than 400,000 children aged four to 18 take part in such activities as swimming, dance, tae kwon do, soccer, basketball and learn-to-bike programs.

"We cover the cost of registration, equipment and/or transportation," says Dan Thompson, the president of Canadian Tire Jumpstart Charities. "We also lend support to unique community-based initiatives aimed at increasing access to sport and recreation programs."

More than 300 local chapters across the country partner with such community organizations as Big Brothers Big Sisters, Boys & Girls Clubs, parks and recreation departments, sports associations — even the police. It means that Canadian Tire Jumpstart transforms not only a child's life, but also an entire community.

An incredible 100 per cent of customer donations go directly to help kids in financial need take part in organized sport and recreation. And any Canadian Tire Jumpstart fundraising done locally stays in that community.

Kids get so much more than the physical health benefits of exercise from playing sports or dancing. "They also gain self-confidence and learn leadership skills," says Thompson. "We want Canadians to try to imagine how different their lives might be now if they hadn't been able to do these activities when they were young."

Applications for assistance can be submitted from Jan. 15 to June 1 for spring/summer programs, and from July 1 to Nov. 1 for fall/winter programs. Applicants will be notified by their local Canadian Tire Jumpstart chapter representative if they've been approved or if more details are needed. All of the information is kept confidential.

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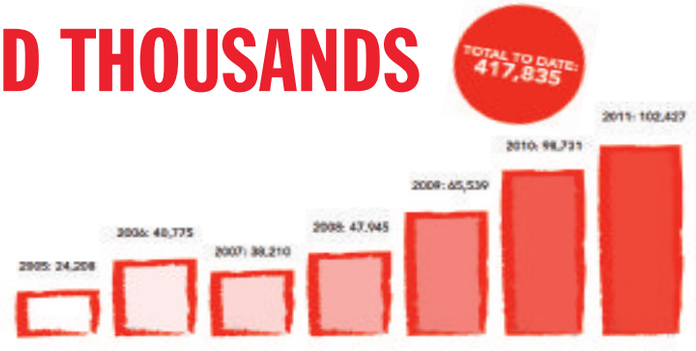

## THE ROAD TO GOLD

Irma Van De Bon's son Carter has always loved sports. "He loved playing hockey and baseball from the time he was a boy," the Yorkton, Sask., native recalls. But as he got older, things started to change.

"Carter is a dwarf, so he found it hard to compete against kids his own age," says Van De Bon. "When hockey started getting physical, it was difficult for him to keep up."

When he was 12, Carter read about Polish power lifter Andre Stanaszek, a little person who has set world records in that sport. He decided to give it a try and began training, quickly rising to become one of the top junior weightlifters in Canada.

Carter has represented his country in competitions in France, the Czech Republic and Brazil, recently winning a gold medal in South Africa. Today he's in his second year at the University of Regina and spends part of his time developing programs and coaching young athletes.

With training and travelling bills mounting, Carter's family turned to Canadian Tire Jumpstart Charities. "Without Canadian Tire Jumpstart, Carter never would have gotten to the level he has achieved," says Van De Bon. "Knowing there was a community behind him has made a huge difference."

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## Brand returns

**Russell Brand is returning to the MTV stage. The 36-year-old comedian has signed on to host the 2012 MTV Movie Awards. "This MTV Movie Awards will be more impressive than The Avengers, and you won't have to wait an hour for someone to Hulk out," Brand said Thursday. After hosting MTV's Video Music Awards in 2008 and 2009, Brand took on leading roles in films such as Get Him to the Greek, Arthur and Rock of Ages, which hits theatres next month. This is his first time hosting the MTV Movie Awards**
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On the web

**Ubisoft assembling Avengers video game for Kinect, Wii U**

Will Prometheus live up to its artistic and creepy space opera potential? HANDOUT

# The hot flicks of summer

Reel Guys

## RICHARD CROUSE AND MARK BRESLIN

**Preview.** Crouse and Breslin share their picks for popcorn season — Prometheus and The Dark Knight Rises top the list

**Richard:** Mark, as summer movie titles go, Abraham Lincoln: Vampire Hunter has to be the grabbiest. Either that or Piranha 3DD. Both sound like fun Saturday afternoon matinees, but for nighttime viewing I think I'm most looking forward to Prometheus, the sort-of prequel to Alien. It's Ridley Scott in sci-fi mode, which means we can expect an artistic and creepy space opera with cool effects and a face-hugger or two.

**Mark:** Yes, I'm looking forward to Prometheus as well. But am I foolish to secretly count down the days to Rock of Ages, the '80s hair-metal musical? I avoided the live show but the trailer looked like a hoot! C'mon, Richard — Tom Cruise in a blond shag rockin' out to Foreigner hits? The art of cinema just doesn't get any better!

**RC:** I hope Rock of Ages is as loud and proud as the music it covers. Forget 3D for this one, give me Odorama! I want to smell the gallons of Aqua Net it must have taken to give Alec Baldwin that hair! Also likely on the loud and proud side should be The Bourne Legacy. Jeremy Renner is stepping in for Matt Damon who made the character famous. Renner is all kinds of awesome, but let's see if he can duke out like Damon.

**MB:** Reboots make me nervous, Richard. They work too hard or not hard enough.

**Synopsis**

Everybody knows the official first day of summer is Wednesday June 20, but in movie theatres the silly season actually starts earlier. In fact, it began last weekend with the release of The Avengers, the boffo superhero movie that kicked off the balmy blockbuster season. This week the Reel Guys have a look at the superhero stories, remakes, reboots, reimaginings and more we'll be watching during air conditioner season.

Which brings us to Total Recall, one of my favourite dystopian sci-fi films. Will it be better than the Schwarzenegger version? Worse? Will Colin Farrell run for governor someday? Don't know, but I can't wait to see it. Also Ted, the talking, wisecracking, R-rated teddy bear movie. If this were not Seth Macfarlane's movie, I'd totally avoid it, but the trailer is hysterical!

**RC:** The red band trailer for Ted made me laugh harder than almost anything else I've seen this year. It'll be rude and crude, but I think Mark Wahlberg is an underrated comic actor, so I'm excited. I can't believe we've gotten to this point and haven't mentioned the caped elephant in the room, The Dark Knight Rises. I saw six minutes of this on an IMAX screen and it made my mind grapes tingle. And I cannot wait to see the rest.

**MB:** It will be the movie of the summer, the box office hit of the year, and turn Tom Hardy into a household name. I'll probably camp out in line the night before it opens.

# Sir Ben Kingsley brings a touch of class to Sacha Baron Cohen's comedy

**The Dictator.** From Gandhi to General Aladeen's uncle — Kingsley is always up for a challenge

HEIDI PATALANO
Metro World News in New York

The man who played Gandhi has portrayed many other heavy characters throughout his long career, but a king of comedy he's never been. Sir Ben Kingsley is the first to own up to this, but it seems worth a shot in order to work with a man whom he mentions in the same breath as Charlie Chaplin.

"The great ones, like Chaplin and Sacha Baron Cohen make it look effortless," he says.

"It's not effortless."

In the latest film from the man responsible for Ali G, Borat and Bruno, Sir Kingsley portrays the menacing uncle of Admiral General Aladeen (Cohen), the dictator of fictional African nation Wadiya. Though he's not dropping the one-liners the way Baron Cohen gets to, this English actor brings an air of sophistication to the film.

**With any Sacha Baron Cohen project, the humour comes out of how truthful it is. What's the most important 'serious message' in the film?**
I am hoping personally that it will reveal in people perhaps some hidden fears or prejudices. ... (Baron Cohen and his creative team) voice certain phobias, prejudices. … It might cause people to feel resentment, not offense, because Sacha's character is saying things that, if they said it, they would be arrested or lose their job, but they are capable of saying those things. I think that's where satire is really valuable. Those that are made to feel uncomfortable will feel resentful that in their enforced political correctness, they're not allowed to be anti-Semitic. 'Like, why can that f—ker up there say it and if I say it, I'll lose my job!'"

**You got to spend a lot of time holding Baron Cohen's hand throughout the film. How was that for you?**
That is the relationship, you see. I am his uncle, and I know that he's still a child, so whatever street he has to cross, be it in the UN or arriving in New York, or going to a nuclear facility, he's crossing a street. I know he's a total idiot and I've done nothing to further his education, or his well being. It's better for my character, the uncle, to infantilize and keep him there.

**Sacha Baron Cohen was responsible for Borat which many have said was one of the best movies of the last decade, but it did not receive a Best Picture Oscar nomination. Why do comedies never win that category?**
I think there's this misconception that's completely understandable, that comedy is easy — that we're basically having fun. All we're doing is fooling around in front of a camera.

Ben Kingsley plays uncle to Sacha Baron Cohen's character General Aladeen in The Dictator. HANDOUT

I could talk for years trying to dispel this myth but nobody wants to hear it. Sacha was talking to me about the science of comedy — how he numerically grades from one to ten, the value of a certain reaction. Where it is in the film, in the editing, whether to go for two sevens or cut them and go for a ten and always to keep poking at the nerve ... that prejudiced nerve.

**So then would you put this performance on par with playing Gandhi?**
My body chemistry changes to the same degree on the word action, no matter what I'm doing. Whether it's a marathon or a series of sprints, I still have to use the same muscles, so I can't really differentiate.

**Comedy**

## Dark Shadows

**Director.** Tim Burton

**Stars.** Johnny Depp, Michelle Pfeiffer, Eva Green

Watching Tim Burton's big budget cinematic relaunch of Dan Curtis' cult '60s daytime soap opera Dark Shadows is like being trapped in some sort of drug laced alternate universe … and that's a good thing. Burton casts his muse Johnny Depp as vampire Barnabas Collins, who is freed from his coffin in 1972 after being put there by his spurned lover centuries before. How he copes with a disenfranchised America and his ancestors is campy fun for sure. Outside of the surrealism, this is really just a soap opera after all. It's also one of the bravest, weirdest studio films this critic has ever seen.

**CHRIS ALEXANDER**

**Quoted**

**"[Alien] belongs at the top of about five different lists, including best thriller and best horror film, as well. Ridley Scott did so many things right here — from the grimy, lived-in world of the Nostromo mixed with H.R. Giger's eerily seductive design to the perfect cast and Sigourney Weaver's bad-ass performance. I also love the way Scott keeps the alien unseen for so much of the gut-churning build up, then delivers one of the most terrifying creatures ever seen on screen. I still can't watch this one after about 8 p.m."**

The Avengers' Clark Gregg talking about his favourite science fiction movies of all time.

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American Reunion (18A) Fri 7:50-10:30 Sat-Sun 1:10-4:40-7:50-10:30 Mon-Thu 6:20-9
Chimpanzee (G) Fri 6:50 Sat-Sun 1:40-4:10-6:50 Mon-Tue 5:40 Wed 1:40-5:40 Thu 5:40
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Wrath of the Titans (14A) Fri-Sun 9 Mon-Thu 7:55

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To the Arctic 3D (G) Fri-Sun 1-3:30-4:45-7:15 Tue-Wed 1-3:30-4:45 Thu 1-3:30-4:45-7:15
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Big Miracle (G) Fri-Thu 1:30-3:55-6:35-9:40
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# Anna Faris is preggers and already wants more?

Anna Faris and Chris Pratt are expecting their first child, according to People magazine.

The couple, who met on the set of Take Me Home Tonight and tied the knot in 2009, have been thinking about kids for a while — and this baby could be just the beginning, to hear Faris tell it.

"Chris wants a big family," Faris told E! News last year. "I would love to have eight. I don't think I could handle it, though."

Anna Faris and Chris Pratt

# Robert Pattinson needs some encouragement

Robert Pattinson admits he's been doing a lot of growing up as an actor, and a good chunk of that came filming David Cronenberg's sex- and violence-filled Cosmopolis, the Twilight star tells Premiere magazine.

"Filming Cosmopolis with David changed something in me," he says. "It gave me balls." But before that, he had to conquer a certain measure of self-doubt: "I spent time doubting myself," he says.

"I was working myself up, asking myself if I was good enough." So how did he talk himself into it? "I tell myself, 'F— it! If they want to hire you, go!'"

Robert Pattinson

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## *We can't let them finish*

**THE WORD**
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When Kanye West and Kim Kardashian first stepped out together in March, we weren't too alarmed. Surely, these two would eventually find each other and combine their powers for some sunbathing-on-the-yacht photo ops.

But now, it seems we could be dealing with something worse than staged summer love: the real deal.

"Kim and Kanye are 100 per cent having conversations about marriage," a source tells UsMagazine.com, adding that West had been interested "for a long time."

Another source — let's call this one Worst Source Ever — says Kim's on board: "They've been friends for years. Kim is ready to give it a try now."

Now, before we go all 2012 here, we really should mention that all of this was started by a quick couple lines West rapped in a new Pusha T song: "I saw you in the club in a white dress/ Now I want to put you in a white dress."

For all we know, he could just be talking about drugs here. Maybe sex. Possibly both. People who still go outside after 9 p.m. — tell us it will all be OK!

## *Joe Jonas: Fax me*

Joe Jonas seems like a nice young man. Nice enough that we even kind of buy that he's doing Pepsi's Live for Now campaign for something other than the money.

"It's a cool way to be able to go to this platform and be able to check out different pop culture things that are going on," he told us this week while on a promotion tour in New York.

But, moving on, let's talk underwear and flirty faxes.

**On his forward fans**
"The boldest is probably throwing articles of underwear on stage. That has happened. And then I've had a fan once ask me to punch them, which I thought was crazy, and they were like, well because then, you know, I'll always remember it. I'm like, you know what, I really don't wanna do that. That was a female fan. I didn't hit her."

**On getting a girl's attention**
"I faxed somebody once. I was asking somebody on a date. I met her at a store and I sent her a fax that said, hey would you like to go out with me, here's my number. She faxed me back."

ADDITIONAL REPORTING BY MEREDITH ENGEL

# Is One Direction going in all different directions?

After their lightning-fast rise to fame, the boys of One Direction are already facing breakup rumors, with member Harry Styles' latest travel itinerary suggesting he's on the lookout for a solo career, according to the Daily Star.

"[Harry's] been offered a big solo project, so he flew out to Los Angeles without the rest of the boy band," a source says.

"He's been in America filming something. It may have been an advert or a film — I can't say exactly what — but it's worth a lot of money."

But a rep for the boy band is quick to quash the rumors, saying the trip wasn't for business at all.

"This report is false. Harry was on vacation in L.A.," their rep tells Hollyscoop.

Harry Styles GETTY IMAGES

**Styles is in demand**

**"[Harry's] been offered a big solo project, so he flew out to Los Angeles without the rest of the boy band"**
Source

# Britney Spears to judge X Factor, says source

The deal is done: Britney Spears is reportedly joining the X Factor as a judge, joining executive producer Simon Cowell and L.A. Reid on the panel, according to E! News.

"There's been a lot of back and forth over the past few weeks as they negotiated the small details, but she's on," a source says. "It's all completed and Britney is beyond excited."

Spears will reportedly earn $15 million for her work on the show's second season, though it isn't clear if the deal extends beyond that. The deal now leaves one judge's chair empty on the singing competition's panel, with Miley Cyrus a rumoured frontrunner for the spot.

However, Hollywood Life reports that the former Hannah Montana star is being considered instead to replace host Steve Jones.

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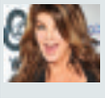

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coming out of my cocoon today....hope new wings take me where I want to go...they always have..;)

**@ActuallyNPH**
Yet another My Life Is Random moments: Oprah came over to our house today. I made her pizza.

**@SarahKSilverman**
I'm finding it hard to get sympathy with my I-pulled-a-muscle-on-a-zip-line story.

Liquid Assets

## An easy-like-Sunday-morning sipper

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A reader sent me an e-mail last week asking if I could recommend a wine to go with breakfast in bed.

While he was looking to impress his wife on their up-coming anniversary, with Mother's Day this weekend I'm betting many of you guys out there will also be looking to score some bonus points Sunday morning.

Eclectic is the best way to describe a breakfast menu. The fun part is that any early morning tipple should be light, fresh and very easy-drinking — the same flavour profile that loves unusual eats.

Though the selection varies across the country, a white wine made with the moscato grape is a perfect early morning sipper.

Slightly sweet and low in alcohol, they're an a.m. friendly wine style gaining a solid following during the day as well.

I think sparkling when it comes to breakfast (or brunch) is best. Forget the orange juice and pick one with the union of fruit and wine already built in.

Chile's Fresita ($12.95 - $15.99) is infused with the essence of real strawberries. The result is a berry bomb that explodes in the mouth and will add plenty of refreshment to your Mother's Day.

**PRICES REFLECT THE RANGE ACROSS THE COUNTRY. SOME PRODUCTS MAY NOT BE AVAILABLE IN ALL PROVINCES.**

# Classic treat will make mom smile on her day

**Emily's Mom's Quick Cinnamon Buns.**
Metro's food columnist shares a special treat from her childhood

DINNER EXPRESS
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With Mother's Day this Sunday, I've been thinking about my mom. My thoughts led me to a treat my mother used to make on the weekends or even during the week after dinner.

In an old notebook dating back to my high school days, I found the recipe for Mom's Cinnamon Buns.

These biscuit style cinnamon buns are perfect to enjoy with a cup of tea or coffee with mom or any special person on any day you want to sit back and chat about a memory or two.

They're best served warmed out of the oven or reheated in the microwave before serving.

**1.** In saucepan, melt butter and sugar, whisking over medium heat until smooth and combined. Pour into lightly sprayed 8 inch (2 L) baking dish; spread evenly across bottom; set aside.

**Ingredients**

- ½ cup (125 mL) butter
- ½ cup (125 mL) packed brown sugar

**Dough**

- 2 cups (500 mL) all purpose flour
- 4 tsp (20 mL) baking powder
- ¼ tsp (1 mL) salt
- ½ cup (125 mL) lard or shortening
- 2/3 cup (150 mL) milk

**Filling**

- ½ cup (125 mL) butter, very soft but not melted
- ½ cup (125 mL) packed brown sugar
- 2 tsp (10 mL) ground cinnamon

**This recipe makes nine buns.** EMILY RICHARDS

**2.** Dough: In bowl, stir flour, baking powder and salt. Cut lard into flour using fingers until mix is crumbly looking. Drizzle in milk and stir using fork to combine. Bring dough together and knead gently on lightly floured surface to make smooth dough. Roll out dough on floured surface to make a 14-inch (35 cm) square.

**3.** Filling: In bowl, stir butter, sugar and cinnamon until very smooth. Spread evenly all over dough right to the edges. Roll up dough, jelly-roll style and pinch seam along edge. Cut log into 9 equal pieces and place into prepared baking dish.

**4.** Bake in centre of a 400 F (200 C) oven 25 mins or until golden brown and sauce is bubbly. Let stand for three minutes before turning out onto platter.

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# 3 LIFE

Trends

## Packaged Cold Cuts

Food companies looking to capitalize on consumers' increasingly sophisticated tastes are carving out new directions in lunch meat with upscale options that are pre-sliced, prepackaged and ready to go right alongside the bologna. Some prepackaged lunch meats now come in thicker slices, mirroring the choice at a traditional deli. Herbs and spices also are showing up in prepackaged products, boosting flavour and appeal. And now there are the packages of sliced, dry-cured meats, such as soppressata and prosciutto, which used to be strictly deli items. Meanwhile, producers have been cutting salt and removing artificial ingredients in response to customers' requests for a more natural product.

In terms of national sales, the multi-billion dollar lunch meat business got a bit of a boost out of the recession as more people brown-bagged it.

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On the web

**Julia Child taught Americans to love food, and women to take pride in making it**

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4 SPORTS

MLB

**"I've never seen a pitcher get hurt playing golf."**

**Boston Red Sox manager Bobby Valentine, downplaying the uproar over pitcher Josh Beckett's golf outing on Thursday after he was taken out of the rotation because of stiffness. Valentine said Beckett was scratched from a start last week with stiffness, but he didn't consider that to be an injury and wasn't bothered by Beckett golfing on his off-day.**

On the web

**There was a point in Hayley Wickenheiser's life when she was consumed by hockey. But ever since Canada's all-time scoring leader adopted Noah, the son of her boyfriend 12 years ago, she says she became cured of "the disease of me." Scan the code for the story.**

# Roughriders all set under centre

**CFL.** Though flush with young quarterbacks, veteran Darian Durant remains the starter

There will be no quarterback controversy in Corey Chamblin's first training camp as a CFL head coach.

The Saskatchewan Roughriders signed young guns Colt Brennan, J.T. O'Sullivan, Levi Brown and Drew Willy this off-season but they'll be vying for backup duty as Chamblin says veteran Darian Durant remains the starter.

"In my mind I know who the No. 1 quarterback will be and that's Darian Durant," Chamblin said during a conference call Thursday. "Like any other position there are moves so we can be competitive all across the board, but Darian is our leader."

Durant, 29, has been Saskatchewan's starter the last three seasons and led the club to consecutive Grey Cup appearances in 2009-10. The seven-year veteran was a dual threat in 2010, passing for a league-best 5,542 yards while rushing for 618 yards and seven TDs.

But Durant's production slipped in a miserable 2011 season that saw the Riders fire rookie coach Greg Marshall after a 1-7 start en route to a league-worse 5-12 record to miss the CFL playoffs for the first time since 2001. Durant finished with 3,653 passing yards and 381 yards rushing with two TDs before missing the final two games with a broken bone in his foot.

Durant's struggles mirrored those of Saskatchewan's offence, which finished last overall in scoring (19.2 points per game) and second-last in total yards (327.3 per game).

"Obviously we were struggling on offence last year but there were a lot of reasons for that," general manager Brendan Taman said. "But our starting quarterback has been to the Grey Cup in two of the last three years and I don't foresee that to be luck.

"I think Darian put a lot on himself last year and it was unfair to him in some ways. He's only going to be as good as the people around him.... Darian is going to be fine and behind him, we'll see where they go."

Saskatchewan showed its commitment to Durant, signing him to a three-year extension this off-season.

Chamblin and Taman were both involved in what was a whirlwind off-season for Saskatchewan. When Ken Miller retired as head coach and vice-president of football operations at season's end, Taman added the football-operations post then hired Chamblin, who was a finalist behind Marshall for the Riders coaching job last year.

Ironically, Chamblin also succeeded Marshall in Hamilton last year, replacing him as defensive co-ordinator when Marshall left for Saskatchewan. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Roughriders coach Corey Chamblin smiles at a news conference in Regina in December. There will be no quarterback controversy in Chamblin's first training camp as a CFL head coach. ROY ANTAL/THE CANADIAN PRESS

**Quoted**

**"We believe in him and we know he will take us where we need to go and where we want to go."** Roughriders coach Corey Chamblin on QB Darian Durant

NBA

## 76ers deliver coup de grace

Andre Iguodala made the go-ahead free throws with 2.2 seconds left and the Philadelphia 76ers rallied for a 79-78 victory over the top-seeded Chicago Bulls in Game 6 on Thursday night, advancing to the second round of the Eastern Conference playoffs for the first time since 2003.

The Sixers are the fifth No. 8 seed to win a first-round series against a No. 1 seed. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

NBA

## Harden named best off the bench

Oklahoma City's James Harden was named the sixth man of the year Thursday.

Harden averaged 16.8 points on a career-best 49 per cent shooting this season, and he recorded his first career 40-point game last month in a win at Phoenix. He also became known in the last week of the regular season when he sustained a concussion while taking an elbow from the L.A. Lakers' Metta World Peace. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

NBA

## 'Birdman' banned after police search

Denver Nuggets centre Chris (Birdman) Andersen has been excused indefinitely from all team-related activities after Douglas County sheriff's deputies searched his home Thursday as part of an investigation of the Internet Crimes Against Children unit. Andersen has not been arrested and police said no arrest warrant was issued. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

# All bets are off for Game 7 on Broadway

Alex Ovechkin skates up ice against the New York Rangers in Game 5 on Monday in New York City. BRUCE BENNETT/GETTY IMAGES

Crunch the numbers, ride the waves of momentum, and then try to guess if the Washington Capitals or New York Rangers will survive another Game 7 and move on to the Eastern Conference finals.

Hockey analysts will make very compelling arguments — and leave anyone who is listening believing that both teams can't lose the win-or-go-home matchup on Saturday night at Madison Square Garden.

Ah yes, Madison Square Garden, the famed arena in which the host Rangers are 4-0 in Game 7s. It is also the place where the Rangers pulled out a Game 5 win in this series by scoring a power-play goal with 7.6 seconds left in regulation, and then another less than two minutes into overtime, turning what appeared to be a sure loss into one of the most electrifying victories in club history.

You know, the tide-turning win that the Capitals would never be able to bounce back from — even though they were heading home for Game 6. It didn't quite work out that way, and now it's the Rangers who will fight to make sure there is no carry-over in the other direction for Game 7.

"We can't let it," Rangers captain Ryan Callahan said. "We have to put this one behind us. We have to go in Saturday ready to play." THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

**Cup drought**

- The Rangers, eliminated from the playoffs by Washington in two of the previous three seasons, haven't been to the conference finals since 1997.
- The Capitals have never won it all.

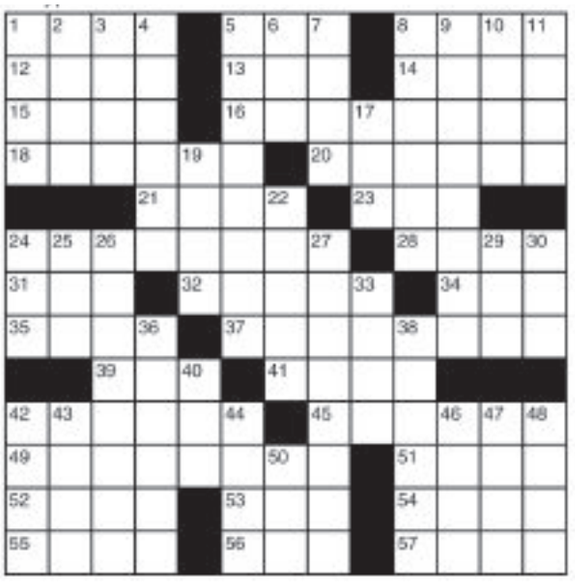
## Crossword

### Across

1 Mayflower, for one
5 Craze
8 Grand poetry
12 Singer Vikki
13 Conceit
14 Create
15 Lotion additive
16 "Moby-Dick" author
18 Art of growing dwarfed plants
20 Assistant who does errands
21 Wee
23 Before
24 Tunes
28 Engrave
31 Favorable vote
32 Very, in music
34 Pirouette pivot
35 Ties up the phone
37 Rapid decline
39 — -tzu
41 Of a specified type
42 Quantity
45 "Merci"
49 "The Velvet Fog"
51 Nevada city
52 "Survivor" setting
53 Rowing tool
54 Werewolf's inspiration
55 "— of Our Lives"
56 Moines lead-in
57 Picnic invaders

### Down

1 Wound cover
2 Head light?
3 Press
4 "Allakazam!"
5 NOW doctrine
6 Candle count
7 Mini mannequin?
8 One with a new homeland
9 South Carolina symbol
10 Sooner St.
11 Witnessed
17 Churchill's gesture
19 Verdi opera
22 Sycophants' replies
24 Gasoline ratio (Abbr.)
25 Historic time
26 Pine variety
27 Odists, in a way
29 Farm female
30 Farm female
33 Pruritus
36 Fries lightly
38 Jenna Elfman TV role
40 Lennon's lady
42 Surrounded by
43 Small plateau
44 Walked (on)
46 Night glower
47 Entanglement
48 Half the offspring
50 West of Hollywood



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**How to play**
Fill in the grid, so that every row, every column and every 3x3 box contains the digits 1-9. There is no math involved. You solve the puzzle with reasoning and logic.

### Yesterday's Sudoku

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### Yesterday's Crossword

## Cryptoquip

**How to play**
This is a substitution cipher where one letter stands for another. Eg: If X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle.

EW D KEQZ WHSSJU JUBHN D ZVIH QJVBLKX HRLDLH, E IVHRR XJV YEIZL RDX ZH ER UHSS-YDBJKHN.

**Yesterday's Cryptoquip:** BECAUSE HE CONTINUALLY EYEBALLS PEOPLE RUDELY, HE HAS EARNED THE NICKNAME "STARE MASTER."

Today's Cryptoquip Clue: R equals S

For today's crossword answers and for expanded horoscopes, go to metronews.ca

## Horoscope

**Aries | March 21 - April 20.** Identify where savings can be made. Don't add to your financial problems by buying things you don't need.

**Taurus | April 21 - May 21.** It may annoy you that someone needs convincing that you care for them. Make the effort. Say something nice. You'll be rewarded this weekend.

**Gemini | May 22 - June 20.** Your imagination will get a boost today but watch out it doesn't go too far and you start imagining things that are never going to happen.

**Cancer | June 21 - July 22.** You may have high expectations of yourself. You're going places, but keep your feet on the ground.

**Leo | July 23 - Aug. 22.** Common sense tells you to steer clear of other people's disputes, especially on the work front.

**Virgo | Aug. 23 - Sept. 22.** Do what you feel like doing today, not what other people say you should. You have an obligation to help, but you've done more than your share.

**Libra | Sept. 23 - Oct. 22.** Someone thinks they can part you from your hard-earned cash by pretending they are in distress and only you can help them.

**Scorpio | Oct. 23 - Nov. 21.** There are many people who expect something for nothing. They're unlikely to get it from you today.

**Sagittarius | Nov. 22 - Dec. 21.** You don't have to prove anything to anyone, not today nor any other day. Do what you feel is right.

**Capricorn | Dec. 22 - Jan 20.** Don't let others see that you are desperate to possess something or they will push up the price.

**Aquarius | Jan. 21 - Feb 18.** Your ambitions are likely to clash with your personal commitments today — and it is your ambitions that must be favoured.

**Pisces | Feb. 19 - March 20.** You won't be much in the mood for work today. Just be careful you don't overdo it. Travelling and socializing can be exhausting! SALLY BROMPTON

## Caption Contest

"Here is your nose for your clown suit, Mr. Gulliver, sir."
Jerome P.
TAMMY LJUNGBLAD, KANSAS CITY STAR, THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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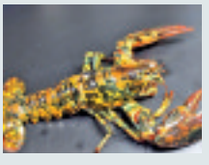

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